THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE R.SUBHASH REDDY

WRIT PETITION No. 13806 of 2000

DATED: 15.06.2007

Between:

Sri Shiridi Sai Educational Academi,
rep. by its President Sri M.Santhi Ramudu.

.. Petitioner.

And

The Government of Andhra Pradesh,
rep. by the Prl.Secretary, Health, Medical &
Family Welfare Department, Secretariat Buildings,
Hyderabad, and others.

.. Respondents.

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ORDER:

In this writ petition, the petitioner has questioned the validity of G.O.Ms.No.214, dated 23.06.2000, and the rejection letter, dated 05.07.2000, issued by the first respondent.

2. In the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition, the petitioner stated that it is an Educational Academy, and in G.O.Ms.No.214, dated 23.06.2000, the Government has identified some places for establishment of new Medical and Dental Colleges. It has further stated that it has applied to the first respondent for grant of Essentiality Certificate to establish a new Dental College at Nandyal, but the same was rejected by the letter, dated 05.07.2000, only on the ground that the place of Nandyal was not identified in G.O.Ms.No.214, dated 23.06.2000.

The petitioner has also stated that, in a batch of cases, being W.A.No.1326 of 1999 and batch, by judgment, dated 08.11.2000, the Full Bench of this Court has considered this aspect and held that the State Government cannot reject the applications for grant of essentiality certificates on the ground that the proposed places for establishment of proposed colleges were not notified, and also issued directions to consider the feasibility of granting essentiality certificates for the establishment of new Medical and Dental Colleges even in the

places, which are not identified in G.O.Ms.No.214.

3. Inasmuch as the issue that arises for consideration in this Writ Petition is squarely covered by the judgment of the Full Bench in WA.No.1326 of 1999 and batch, this writ petition is also liable to be disposed of on the same lines.

Subject to the above observations, this writ petition is disposed of in the light of the directions issued in W.A.No.1326 of 1999 & batch. No order as to costs.

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(R.SUBHASH REDDY,J)

Dt.15.06.2007

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